

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2070
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MODERNISATION OF TELEPHONE EXCHANGES IN MAHARASHTRA
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the government have formulated any policy for modernization of existing telephone exchanges in Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

- (a) All the telephone exchanges in Maharashtra are already modernized digital exchanges.
- (b) & (c): Not applicable in view of (a) above.